

REGISTER OF CLASSIFICATION DECISIONS

Date of entry in Register:	18 December 1995
Name of applicant/court:	Comptroller of Customs
Applicant to the Labelling Body:	Not Applicable
Title of Publication:	Sex Match 9
Other Known Titles:	Sex Match No 9
Director:	Not Applicable
Producer:	Not Applicable
Publisher:	Silwa Film
Author:	Not Applicable
Format:	Magazine
Country of Origin:	Germany
Language:	German / English / Dutch / French / Swedish

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Components of film originally examined: Not Applicable.

Feature:	Running time:
Trailers:	Running time:
	Total Running time:

Excision/Alteration: Not Applicable.

Reasons(s) for Excision:

Not Applicable.

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Classification Decision:

Objectionable except if the availability of the publication is restricted to persons who have attained the age of 18 years.

Display conditions:

Section 27

That when the publication is on public display, the classification given to the publication must be shown on the publication, or any package in which the publication is kept;

and

That the publication must be publicly displayed only in a sealed package;

and

That where the publication is publicly displayed in a package, the package must be made of opaque material.

Descriptive Note:

Not Applicable.

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Direction to issue a label has been given on: Not Applicable.

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SUMMARY OF THE REASONS FOR DECISION:

The publication is a small, graphic magazine showing explicit sexual photo-scenarios concentrating on the genitals of the models. They are intended to sexually arouse men, predominantly.

Sex Match 9 in the main shows sex acts such as fellatio and intercourse. It presents some sexual conduct in a manner that is degrading, dehumanising and demeaning, in terms of s3(3)(a)(iii). However, this is not the dominant effect. These images are not so strong that they make the availability of the magazine likely to be injurious to the public good. It is therefore restricted to persons who have attained the age of 18 years.

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